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SHOP IN CROSSFIELD—AT HOME

Auto Accident
Edmonton Trail

Two Men Taken to Hospital

Fractured ribs, broken hip bone, and facial injuries were sustained by Messrs. Davidson and Smith, of the Calgary Power Company Ltd., last Friday, when the car in which they were driving, skidded on the road near Blackfalds, directly into the path of a bus.

The men were taken to Red Deer for treatment, and later Davidson was removed to the hospital at Calgary. At first it was thought that Smith's injuries were not serious, but later this was found to be the opposite, and Smith is a patient in the Red Deer Hospital.

Mr. Smith is the district superintendent of the Calgary Power Company Ltd., and very well known in this district.

Community Stunned
At the Passing of
Thomas M. Goldie

Our little community was stunned Tuesday morning, when it learned of the passing of one of its citizens, Thomas M. Goldie.

Tom, while not feeling up to his old self lately, nevertheless, showed no outward distress. On Monday he complained of inward pains and Dr. Whillans was consulted. Early Tuesday morning he passed away at his residence. Leaving to mourn him are his wife, Molly Goldie, and one son and one daughter, Gavin and Isobel.

Borne at Airdrie, Scotland, in 1888, Tom was the eldest son of the late Alexander M. Goldie, Millowner, Airdrie, Scotland, and Mrs. Agnes Bowman Goldie, Bishop, Scotland.

Funeral Services were held today (Thursday), at the home in Crossfield and at the Presbyterian Church, Carstairs, with interment in the Carstairs Cemetery.

Coming to this district in 1906, Mr. Goldie remained for a short period, then left to take up residence in Australia. After residing in Australia for sometime, he transferred to South Africa where he stayed until he came back to Crossfield district in 1928.

Of a quiet disposition, but always, at all times, willing to assist any worthwhile community project, Tom went quietly about his daily tasks.

He was a member of the local Tennis Club, Dramatic Society and Board of Trade, and was always a willing worker for these Societies. He was well known throughout Alberta Tennis Circles.

The district will be the loser for the passing of this personality, and to those left behind, we ask that they be given the necessary help and courage to carry on, as he would wish them to do. Deepest sympathy goes out to his family at this time, from the entire community.

"Then let us leave him to his rest, And homeward turn, for he is his best, And we must well our souls prepare, When death shall come, to meet him there."

Alberta Dairymen's Convention
To Be Held In Calgary

Alberta Dairymen from farms and factories, will hold their annual Convention at the Palliser Hotel in Calgary for three days, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, February 9, 10, and 11. The meetings of every section give ample opportunity for discussion of problems related to the industry to-day. Reports of recent research will be brought by Dr. E. G. Hood of the Dairy Research Division at Ottawa. Mr. Singleton and Mr. Burgess of the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch at Ottawa will discuss the butter situation throughout the Dominion and in the export market. Mr. A. C. Fraser of the National Dairy Council will also speak.

The Cattle Breeders' and Producers' Sections will meet on Tuesday and Wednesday respectively. Dr. Bowstead and Dean Howes from the University of Alberta will speak to the farmers on pastures and feeds, Dr. P. R. Talbot, provincial veterinarian, will discuss diseases of cattle, and Mr. S. G. Carlyle, Provincial Livestock Commissioner will speak on Bull Loan Policies. In addition to these, there will be discussion on present problems led by prominent dairymen of the province. Farmers will have an excellent opportunity to meet and frankly talk over plans for the improvement of their herds with leaders in the dairy industry today.

A similar programme has been arranged for buttermakers and

Former Editor's
Daughter Weds

BUTTARS—FAWDREY

A quiet wedding took place on January 18, at the church of the Assumption, Crossfield, when Emma May Fawdry, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Fawdry, of 2320 - 2nd St. W., Calgary, was united in marriage to William Wilson Buttars, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Buttars, Calgary Alberta.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. D. Currie, pastor of the Church of the Assumption.

Nissa D. Mercer acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. J. J. Herron supported the groom. The bride was also attended by her mother.

The young couple will reside on the north hill of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Currie and Mrs. E. Cartwright have known the bride since she was a baby.

Presentation Made
Adam Cruickshank

Last Friday night at the local Masonic Hall, some sixty or seventy friends of Adam Cruickshank, former proprietor of the Oliver Hotel, foregathered to spend a social evening, and to honour the departing guest, who has retired from the Hotel business to take up farming in the west.

It was an evening of great joviality and good spirits, and the time sped fastly on wings, till the hour of departure came.

For Lewis acted as chairman, and the Rev. A. D. Currie, on behalf of the many friends, presented Adam with a club bag as a token of appreciation for the efforts expended by him in this community during his residence here. Adam suitably replied.

The guest artistes were Mr. Rees and Mr. Wallace, of Calgary, who were well received and added greatly to the evening's enjoyment.

Several of the representatives of the Brawling Industry of Calgary, were also present to say Godspeed and good luck.

Like all other good things, the evening came to a close all too soon, but it was a "Graund Niecht".

Local Youth
Shows 'em How

It was a cold and stormy night, (Tuesday) when fifteen year-old Jack Fleming was taken from his Corner practice to lead his father's rink against the brave Camerons.

The colder it got, the cooler Jack got, and he showed the Veteran Curlers just "How it should be done."

Every shot was a "Doozey."

manufacturers. Dr. H. R. Thornton will be present and will speak on Milk and Cream Flavours. A feature of the buttermakers' sessions will be the open discussions that have been arranged, with creamery men from various parts of the province acting as leaders. Mr. W. Morris of Eckville is chairman of the Buttermakers' Section this year and Mr. D. Morkeberg of the Manufacturers' Section.

Special Meetings and a cheese scoring contest have been arranged for cheese makers. Mr. Burgess of Ottawa, will speak on Cheese Defects and their remedies and Dr. Thornton and Mr. Scott from the University of Alberta will deliver addresses.

A study of the complete Programme reveals an unusually good list of topics and speakers. The Alberta Dairymen's Convention has always been of a high order and this year's meetings give promise of being more largely attended and of more timely interest than usual.

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The public is reminded of the Ice Carnival at the local rink on Friday, January 22nd, and are urged to give this undertaking the fullest measure of support.

Prizes for Best Costumes, Junior Hockey Players, Puck Carrying Race, and other events, such as races for children and adults.

Skating to music after the Carnival, and fancy skating by Calgary Skaters.

The village is providing a real time for those who enjoy this great Winter Sport, so let's all go and sit in the Ice Rink with our skates on.

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Inescapable Obligations

Responsibility to others is an obligation which none can evade or escape, and the extent to which a man is mindful of this obligation and needs it will be his progress and success in life be measured.

The statement is axiomatic whether the subject is an employee or employer, whether he conducts his own business from an office or store or whether he is working for himself on the land. There are many who think they can escape direction and avoid responsibility to others by going into business for themselves or by taking up land because they think it offers them "independence of others."

In the industrial world one meets young fellows who seem to think that the only fruit from their labors is what the Boss gets. Either they do not know or do not care about the self-development that comes from tackling problems even where there is no immediate difference to their own pockets.

They cannot see that in performing their daily tasks they are working for the kind of business man they will be in the future. They are working for themselves, making their own careers, and being paid for it by another man or men. But so long as they remain in the wrong state of mind they will likely remain in the same situation of life. Business to them will be something that is done by someone else. If they are ever in business for themselves it will be without the training that would ensure success.

Some of them do go into business. A few succeed out of sheer necessity. Some succeed for a time and particularly in times of prosperity but most of them fall in the long run because they have not accepted responsibility and have gone into business without the self-imposed training necessary to ensure success in any line. In other words they have not learned to master themselves.

Just how much is any man in business his own boss? The grocer, the bond dealer and insurance man each knows that the customer is the boss. When the employee starts out in business for himself he may learn it was easier to satisfy one employer than a hundred. He will learn that the job he has undertaken is the boss and that every job, every day, is and will be. And he will get his "pay" according to how well he pleases his "employers." And what is true in the industrial world is equally true for the man on the land. He who thinks he is escaping responsibility to fellow men by taking up land to raise wheat or beef is making the same mistake as the man who goes into business for himself in the hope of pleasing himself and following his own dictates.

The farmer has many bosses and most of them are exacting in their demands. The consumer who buys the bread made from the wheat grown on his land and the family who consume the farmer's meat are his bosses, even though the farmer may not come into direct contact with them, and his income will be determined by the extent of his ability to cater to their palates. When the farmer's wheat or beef is graded and priced at the elevator or the abattoir, the grade and the price are based on his ability to please his unseen boss. This determines the bulkiness of his pay envelope.

And for the farmer the unseen consumer is not the only boss. There is another to whom he must look for direction and guidance and that is Dame Nature herself, perhaps the most exacting of them all. To ensure measurable success the agriculturist must not only please the demands of more or less remote consumers whom he supplies but he must bow to the rulings of Nature as represented in her seasonal manifestations.

To be successful the man on the land has to learn to work with Nature. An attitude of antagonism or even supineness towards her laws will only create trouble for himself. He must learn to do things at the right time and in the right way whereby inclination leads in that direction or not. In other words he must be master of himself.

So there is no use trying "business for oneself," either in the office or the store or on the farm as an escape from responsibility. A man's problem is only beginning when he starts out for himself. More than ever before he will need the experience he has gained in the service of others, and in the case of the farmer it must necessarily be the training he has acquired from his father or his neighbor and from his own observations and deductions. Lucky for him if he has balanced that experience by learning the fundamentals of management and finance as well as production.

Capital alone will not ensure success for, as one authority said, "it is not so much what capital a man has as what he does with it."

It will take character and determination. Morale. The invisible assets that went into the founding of every business that ever became anything more than a mere way of making a living.

Without them a man weakens under the strain of satisfying a large and exacting clientele clamoring for every kind of efficiency in his product. To satisfy these legitimate demands means success. Any other course means failure.

May Receive Fortune

Stone Cutter in France May Be Heir To Fortune In America

The six-year search for the legal heirs of the \$20,000,000 tobacco fortune of the late Mrs. Henrietta E. Garret, widow of Walter Garret, of Philadelphia, was believed near an end with the discovery in Nancy, France, of a stonecutter named Murys, who is a fourth cousin. He is about 60. His wife is living, and they have a 25-year-old son.

When informed the family might receive a large part of the Garret fortune, estimated at 420,000,000 francs (\$24,800,000) with accumulated earnings, Mme. Murys said in that case they would devote most of it to alleviating distress.

M. Murys declared he would not leave his job as stonecutter as he still enjoys the work.

There are 64 streets, squares, etc., in London named "Albert," in honor of Queen Victoria's husband.

Alberta Scholarships

Established To Encourage Agricultural Education Among Farm Boys And Girls

Established to encourage agricultural education among farm boys and girls, 26 scholarships will be available to young people in Alberta, Hon. W. N. Chant, minister of agriculture, announced.

The scholarships, entitling winners to attend one of the provincial agricultural schools, or the agricultural faculty of the University of Alberta, will be financed by surplus funds obtained from the defunct Canada wheat board.

The Bible has been reprinted more than any other book. Each of the early printers inaugurated his career by running off a few copies of the Bible, as if to insure success in his future publications.

Speaking without thinking is like shooting without aiming.

Food Prices Rising

Rising Food Prices Are Hard On The Consumer

The problem of the family budget is again disturbing the peace of mind of the thrifty Canadian housewife and her husband who has to provide the wherewithal to meet the needs of the family. The centre of attention is food prices.

After a spell of fairly stable prices, the movement for some time has been upward and the cost of a budget of the leading foods that are consumed by the Canadian has risen about six per cent. In the past six months, this figure represents the average for 70 Canadian cities; it would be higher in some and lower in others.

The sharpest price advances have been made for potatoes, eggs, butter, four, bacon and fresh pork. Of course, eggs and butter are usually higher in the fall but other increases are not to be explained by seasonal influences. Most of the other common foods have also moved upward by moderate amounts, the only noteworthy exceptions being fresh beef, lamb, milk, coffee and sugar.

Food prices generally are now almost 25 per cent. higher than the 1933 depression low point but are still 25 per cent. below the pre-depression levels of 1929.

Rising food prices are a hardship on the consumer but are a boon to the producer. The farmer was hard hit in the depression and a distressed farming community reaps on the prospect of all other classes in the Dominion. Prosperity on farms would lead to more general prosperity and higher incomes to meet the higher costs of living. So even the cloud of higher food costs which hangs over us may have a silver lining.

From the Internal Trade Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Department of Trade and Commerce.

Japan Short Of Oil

Has Plan For Production Of 1,500,000 Tons From Coal

The Japanese army and navy have come forward with programs calling for the creation of a \$30,000,000 company to produce 1,500,000 tons of oil a year from coal during the next five years.

The coal from which this oil is to be squeezed is expected to be obtained from mines in Japan and territories under Japanese influence "or control."

While it produces both oil and coal, Japan proper does not possess either of these minerals in sufficient quantity or of such quality as to meet its actual or potential needs in peaceful times.

And that is why it was anxious to secure in Manchuria a dependable supply of coal and oil-bearing shale.

The economic interpretation of history finds strong support in the efforts of independent-minded Japan to make itself economically independent of other powers, which might try to starve it into submission.

At the same time Japan's desperate efforts to make itself economically independent reveal the disadvantage under which it would now enter upon a prolonged war with the Soviet Union, say, which still has under its top-soil incalculable stores of coal, oil and other essential minerals.—Detroit Free Press.

'Would Protect Canada

Lethbridge Member Will Support Any Program For Increased Defence

John H. Blackmore, of Lethbridge, Social Credit leader in the House of Commons, said that he would strongly support the King government in any program of enlarged defence.

"Canada in my opinion should be spending as much per capita on defence as Great Britain and the United States," he said. "This Dominion is jointly responsible with all parts of the British Commonwealth for its defence and we are jointly responsible with the United States for the protection of the North American continent."

Mr. Blackmore said air defence is the important feature Canada should emphasize.

Were Well Trained

A commercial traveller, visiting a large business office, jokingly boasted to the manager that he could pick out all the married men among the employees. He was challenged, and so he proceeded to demonstrate.

He stationed himself at the door as the employees returned from the noon luncheon hour, and designed those whom he believed to be married. In almost every instance he proved to be right.

"How do you know?" asked the manager in amazement, after the experiment.

The answer was simple, "The married men wipe their shoes on the mat; the single men don't!"

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The liver should pour out two pounds of bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food is not digested. It just decays in the bowels. Gas builds up your stomach. You get constipated. Bile poisons go into the body, and you feel sour, weak and nervous.

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New Realm Of Radiation

Professor Einstein Develops New Theory In Support Of Relativity

The New York Herald-Tribune says Prof. Albert Einstein has discovered a whole new realm of radiation, more extensive in range than known radiation types like light, heat and sound, giving further support to his theory of relativity.

The newspaper says the scientist and his assistant, Dr. N. Rosen, furnish mathematical proof of the existence of this realm in a paper to be published in the journal of the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia.

The radiation visualized in Einstein's mathematical concept, the Herald-Tribune says, is a kind of gravitational wave which parallel electro-magnetic waves in size and frequency but have different properties.

The only one of these properties as yet demonstrated, the paper says, is the ability to pull comets and planets out of their courses as they move around the sun.

Neither scientist, the newspaper said, was available for amplification of an announcement of the discovery because Dr. Rosen is in Russia and Dr. Einstein requested that his period of mourning for his wife, who died Dec. 20, be respected.

SELECTED RECIPES

MACARONI CAKE

Temperature: 350 degrees F. Time: 40 minutes.

1 cup butter; 1/2 cup white sugar; 3 egg yolks; 3 tablespoons milk; 1 cup Royal Household flour; 1 teaspoon baking powder; 1 tablespoon corn starch.

Cream the butter and gradually add the sugar. Add the yolks of the eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add milk. Sift the flour, baking powder and corn starch. Add to first mixture and beat well. Put in a 9" x 12" pan and bake about 40 minutes in a moderate oven until meringue shrinks from the sides of the pan.

Meringue: 3 egg whites, stiffly beaten; 1/2 cup sugar; 1 teaspoon corn starch; 1 1/2 cups coconut.

Beat the whites of the eggs until stiff. Gradually add the sugar and beat again until mixture peaks. Add corn starch and stir in coconut. Spread on raw batter.

Recipe by Mildred MacKenzie Copyright.

SCALLOPED CORN AND CELERY

1 1/2 cups corn (canned or fresh); 1 small green pepper, chopped; 1 cup celery, finely cut; 15 Christie's Soda Wafers, crumbled; Salt and pepper.

3 tablespoons butter; 1 cup hot milk; Arrange corn, pepper, celery, crumbled crackers and seasoning two alternate layers in a greased baking dish. Add 2 tablespoons butter to hot milk and pour over layers. Dot with remaining butter and bake in a hot oven (425 degrees F.) 25 minutes. Six portions.

Money For Education

"More pigs, less illiteracy" was the parting advice of a Chinese instructor as he boarded a steamer for the national capital. In explanation, he pointed out that Hupeh province has a 20 cent tax on every pig marketed, the proceeds going toward mass education.

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HEAVY WAXED PAPER

New Electrical Rays

Italian Invention Makes Man Invisible By Use Of This Apparatus

Engineer Mario Mancini of Milan, Italy, was reported ready to offer the world an electro-optical apparatus which makes man invisible while under its rays.

Prof. Mancini's machine was described as an electrical device whose levers regulate the intensity and frequency of electrical current in order to obtain its rays.

Newspaper reports are that the apparatus, the result of years of work, has been patented.

When X-rays render invisible only the softer parts of the body, the Mancini rays are reported to penetrate every part. It is asserted that in tests at the professor's home persons subjected to the rays were invisible, while the chairs in which they sat could be seen. Few substances, it was added, are able to stop the rays.

Informants asserted that persons subjected to the rays first assumed a confused expression, then became ghost-like, and finally became invisible.

Cuts Duty On Grain

Germany Has Made Reduction In Tariff On All Imports

Germany has cut tariffs on grain imports sharply. Foreign authorities in Berlin questioned whether the move signalled a great increase in grain purchases abroad since Germany maintains a vigorous and detailed system of control over imports.

Effective Jan. 1 the new rates amounted to reduction in duty on wheat from 94 to 12 cents a bushel, on rye from 61 to 10 cents and on barley from 52 to 12 cents.

World grain markets in recent weeks have been influenced by reports Germany faced a grain shortage and would need at least 1,000,000 tons of wheat to make up for the deficiency. Accounts of German grain needs were credited with having been a spur to the spectacular rise of domestic wheat prices last month, but grain men have realized that Germany, with a small gold supply and scant holdings of foreign exchange might find it difficult to fill its wants in the world market.

Experimenting For Many Years

Cleveland Doctor Is Seeking Source Of Human Energy

Beside a palm-thatched cabana on the beach at Key West, Florida, Dr. George W. Crile, famous Cleveland physician, completed another stage in his hunt for the source of human energy.

Dr. Crile and Prof. Daniel Zuiring dissected scores of turtles, conches and other marine life, removing the hearts, brains, livers and lungs, weighing and measuring each while Dr. Crile dictated his observations and findings.

Some days the scientists worked in their bare feet to facilitate frequent excursions into the shallow water for fresh specimens.

For many years Dr. Crile has been experimenting with the sources and nature of human energy, hoping that some day science may discover a method of producing life synthetically.

The hop-merchant butterfly lays its eggs in columns which are attached to leaves. The last laid eggs hatch first so that the chain remains unbroken.

"You're not looking too 'appy, Mr. Higgs."

"No—it's this uncertain weather. One day it's hot, next it's chilly—and yer never knows what to pawn."

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Rebellion Veteran

William Dow Served As Dispatch Rider In The Struggle Of 1863

A veteran of two Canadian armed conflicts, and a pioneer of the prairies, William Dow, aged 87, of Ruidel, Sask., died in a Saskatoon hospital recently.

Dow served as a dispatcher during the Riel rebellion of 1885, and was captured by Louis Riel. He successfully concealed his dispatches from the rebel leader, however, and later escaped. In 1870, he participated in the Fenian raids.

Born at Whithy, Ont., Mr. Dow moved to western Canada in 1869, and worked on the first government survey in Manitoba that year. Following the Riel rebellion, he returned to Manitoba, settling at Pilot Mound in 1889.

In 1904, the pioneer followed new trails to Saskatchewan, and took a homestead near Lillac, where he farmed until recently.

There Are Others

The Peterborough Examiner says the fact that Dr. A. P. Coleman, professor emeritus of the University of Toronto, has been awarded the 1936 Penrose Medal of the Geological Society of America, will help to advertise the fact that Mounted Police and professional hockey players are not the only kind of folk produced in Canada.

The giant model of the moon at Griffith observatory, Los Angeles, was built by Roger Hayward, and conforms to exact scale with photographs taken with the 100-inch telescope at Mount Wilson.

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PARLIAMENT IS OPENED BY SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

Ottawa.—Revision of the capital structure of the Canadian National Railways and ratification of a new trade agreement with the United Kingdom are two of the important measures parliament will be asked to deal with during the present session, according to the speech from the throne.

Heading the speech in the crowded, red-carpeted senate chamber, the governor-general, Lord Tweedmuir set the second session of the 18th parliament of Canada in being.

Test of Speech
Honorable members of the senate: Members of the House of Commons:

It affords me much pleasure to meet you at the commencement of another session of parliament. The people of Canada, in common with the peoples of other parts of the British commonwealth of nations, learned with deep concern of the decision of His Majesty King Edward the Eighth to renounce the throne for himself and his descendants. In accordance with the Statute of Westminster, steps were immediately taken to set forth the request and consent of Canada to the enactment of legislation by the parliament at Westminster for the purpose of giving effect to His Majesty's instrument of abdication and providing for the succession to the throne. In accordance with the same statute, the assent of the parliament of Canada will be sought to the alteration in the law touching the succession.

You will be invited to adopt a resolution expressive of the loyalty of the members of both houses of parliament to His Majesty King George the Sixth.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased to set the twelfth of May as the date for his coronation. Provision will be recommended for the appropriate representation of Canada at the coronation ceremonies.

An imperial conference will be held in London, beginning in May of this year, for the consideration of questions of interest to the various members of the British commonwealth.

The international situation continues to give much ground for anxiety. The League of Nations gave earnest consideration to the bearing of recent developments upon the activities of the league, and a committee was appointed, on which Canada is represented, to consider the question of the application of the principles of the covenant.

Happily, international relations on this continent, and conditions in Canada, present a contrasting contrast to those of many other countries.

The visit of the president of the United States to Canada in July last was a much-appreciated expression of international friendliness and goodwill.

The year just closed has witnessed a steady improvement in conditions throughout Canada, and has borne testimony to the beneficial effects of the fiscal policies of the administration, and of other methods employed to achieve national recovery. A very definite restoration of confidence is in itself an augury of the continuance of recovery.

A marked increase in trade and commerce has been accomplished by a noticeable improvement in the general economic position. Outstanding features of this improvement have been an expansion of markets, a revival of industry, an increase in employment, ascending government revenues, and upward trends in wages and prices. In the primary industries improvement has been especially noteworthy.

There has been a pronounced increase in the volume of farm products exported. It is the intention of the government to continue a vigorous promotion of the sale of agricultural products at home and abroad.

The government's efforts to expand Canada's trade have been unrelenting. Since the last session of parliament ministers of the crown have visited Great Britain and other countries, to participate personally in the negotiation of trade agreements. At the present time, the minister of trade and commerce is on the way to Australia and New Zealand to discuss the revision of existing arrangements.

You will be pleased to learn that an agreement in principle has been reached between His Majesty's governments in the United Kingdom and Canada with respect to a new trade agreement. The agreement itself will be submitted for your approval during the present session.

With the assistance and co-operation

German-Franco Treaty

Negotiations Are Under Way For Trade Treaty Between The Two Countries

Berlin.—A government communiqué officially announced negotiations were under way for a trade treaty between Germany and France.

The announcement, first official confirmation of a rapprochement move between the two countries whose relations had been strained over the Spanish civil war, also stated Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, minister of economic affairs, had cancelled his scheduled trip to Paris.

Dr. Schacht, who was to open the German building at the Paris exposition, notified the German commissioner for the exposition his duties in Berlin were too heavy to allow him to be absent.

The communiqué added: "German-French negotiations for a trade treaty for the present will be conducted by departmental experts."

tion of the national employment commission, progress has been made in coping with unemployment and relief. Relief camps were closed on July 1. A registration of unemployed persons on relief has been completed. Dominion-provincial agreements have been entered into respecting a farm employment plan, under the terms of which work has been provided for thousands of single homeless men. A home improvement plan has been put into operation. Despite these measures, however, and the substantial increase of employment, the provision for large numbers still on relief remains a foremost problem.

Measures will be taken, in co-operation with the provinces, to assist in the establishment of unemployed young people.

A comprehensive program to meet the serious conditions created by widespread and intense droughts in western Canada was adopted during the summer months.

The amalgamation and consolidation of certain branches of the public service, for which provision was made at the last session, have been effected. The board of governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and the board of directors of the Canadian National Railways have been appointed and have entered upon their duties.

The purchase of stock and the appointment of directors, authorized by parliament, the government has assumed a predominant interest in the ownership, and an effective control of the Bank of Canada.

Measures will be introduced to provide for the establishment of a transatlantic air service; to extend the authority of the board of railway commissioners, and to revise the capital structure of the Canadian National Railways.

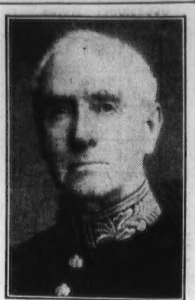
Among other proposed legislative enactments to which your attention will be invited, will be bills to facilitate the making of loans for the repair and improvement of rural and urban homes; to amend and consolidate the acts which relate to companies in trade and industry, and to provide for pensions to the blind at a lower age than 70 years. A measure will also be submitted with respect to the discharge, in any coin or currency which is legal tender, of debt payments at present required to be made in gold or gold coin.

Members of the House of Commons: The public accounts of the last fiscal year and the estimates for the coming year will be submitted for your consideration.

Honorable members of the senate: Members of the house of commons: In again inviting your careful consideration of the important matters which will engage your attention, I pray that divine providence may guide and bless your deliberations.

The Union of South Africa is beginning a \$25,000,000 road construction program.

CELEBRATES



Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, who recently celebrated his 72nd birthday. Sir Lyman is one of the most respected jurists in America, and has had a brilliant career on the bench. Mr. Justice Duff is a native of Meaford, Ont.

BRITISH VESSEL IS FREED BY ARRIVAL OF DESTROYER

London.—A British destroyer caused a Spanish insurgent trawler to free the British steamship Bramhill in the Straits of Gibraltar, official sources disclosed.

The destroyer Sussex arrived under forced draft after the Bramhill, stopped by the armed trawler, wirelessly a request for assistance, officials said.

The insurgent vessel immediately sailed away and the Bramhill was allowed to go on toward Bilbao, on the northern Spanish coast, after the destroyer's officers found she had no arms shipments.

Officials cited the firm action of the Sussex's commander as an example of the government's determination not to permit interference with British vessels doing a lawful business and not carrying arms to Spain in violation of British law.

Government sources disclosed the administration was puzzled as to what action to take in connection with the reported seizure of British-owned copper mines in Spain by General Francisco Franco, insurgent commander-in-chief.

The reports said the Rio Tinto and the Tharsis Copper companies had been compelled to sell their copper to Germany at 42 pesetas to the pound sterling. The current rate, fixed at Gibraltar, is 80 to 90 pesetas to the pound.

A French firm was reported to be faced with similar instructions. General Franco's denial insurgent plans had bombed the British embassy building in Madrid was received skeptically in government circles, but usually informed persons said they believed no further action would be taken. Britain had protested the alleged bombings to General Franco's junta.

Wins Pilot's License

Rome.—Premier Mussolini won his military pilot's license after rising nearly 15,000 feet at the controls of his own trimotor plane and logging the loop like a veteran stunt flyer. Il Duce, who is 53, smilingly received his pilot's insignia from General Giuseppe Valle, air ministry under-secretary.

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Goering Goes To Rome

Seeks Views Of Premier Mussolini On Reich Colonial Ambitions
Berlin.—Premier Mussolini's views on armaments and aid to German colonial ambitions took Air Minister Hermann Goering to Rome, it was disclosed.

The Reich, it was emphasized, wanted to know just how far Mussolini would go along if Chancellor Hitler forced the colonial issue to a decision in economic parleys with France.

The question of military strength and armaments, authoritative sources said, would be a continuation of discussions begun during the visit here last year by General Giuseppe Valle, Italian undersecretary for war.

Ostensibly a "vacation," Goering's Rome visit would serve a "useful political purpose," these sources said.

A foreign office communiqué announced negotiations already under way for a trade treaty between Germany and France. Any economic agreement, it was believed here, would include also political commitments by Hitler on armaments and peace in Europe. Many believed definite action also might be taken toward returning to Germany some of her possessions lost in the Great War; if Hitler pledged Germany to keep the peace.

Foreign Enlistment Act

Legality In Dominions Is Problem For Legal Experts

London.—Legal experts are confronted with the problem of whether the Foreign Enlistment Act applies or does not apply to the Dominions. The weight of opinion inclines to the view that where a dominion has not passed repealing legislation the Foreign Enlistment Act does apply to all British subjects whether in the dominions or not. The effect of this will be that volunteers for Spain from any dominion (unless that dominion has passed contrary legislation) will be liable to the same penalty of two years' imprisonment as volunteers from the United Kingdom.

Under clause IV of the Statute of Westminster no act of the parliament of the United Kingdom passed after the commencement of the Statute of Westminster extends to a dominion as part of the law of that dominion unless it is expressly declared in the British act that such dominion has requested and consented to enactment. Therefore the abdication bill passed by the British parliament applied to Canada because the Canadian government both "requested and consented" to its enactment.

Change In Status

First British Ambassador To Egypt Presents Credentials

Cairo.—Sir Miles Lampson, first British ambassador to Egypt, presented his credentials to the regency council at Abdin palace.

Elaborate pageantry marked the change in the status of the British representative. For two years previously Sir Miles was British high commissioner. Under the Anglo-Egyptian treaty ratifications of which were exchanged a few weeks ago, the British residency became an embassy.

Riding in a state coach, the new ambassador was greeted at the palace by a guard of honor and the playing of the British national anthem.

South Africa Needs Men

Cape Town.—Employment conditions in South Africa have never been healthier, the department of labor declared in an official report. The department said it could easily place 2,000 men if they were available.

Resolution On Order Paper

Conscription Of Wealth For War Purposes Will Be Discussed

Ottawa.—Conscription of wealth in the event of war is at least assured of discussion in the forthcoming session of the House of Commons. A resolution to that effect has been placed on the order paper by T. C. Douglas, young co-operative commonwealth Federation member for Weyburn, Saskatchewan. The resolution reads:

"In the opinion of this house the government of the day immediately bring down legislation to provide that in the event of a war in which Canada is actively participating, there shall be an automatic conscription of all wealth, industrial, financial, transportation, natural resources, for the duration of the war and that a penalty shall be imposed for the violation thereof."

Body Is Returned

Body Of Belgian Attaché At Madrid Embassy Sent To Brussels

Toulon, France.—Body of Baron Jacques de Borchgrave, Belgian attaché at the Madrid embassy, was brought here aboard the French destroyer Kersaint.

Belgium had given the Valencia Socialist administration short notice to send the body out of Spain, charging the baron was killed during an uprising among foreign volunteer troops fighting for the government. The body will be taken to Brussels by special train.

SAYS TARIFFS ESTABLISHED BY CHEAP WHEAT

Winnipeg.—E. K. Williams, counsel for Manitoba Pool Elevators, Limited, contended before the Turgeon royal grain commission that fear of effects of cheap wheat on their economic system and not high prices was a factor in European importing countries establishing tariffs and quotas.

Mr. Williams disclosed the contention when examining A. E. Darby, secretary of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange who earlier had said importing countries feared a "combination of producers in exporting countries would result in an era of unduly high prices attained by artificial means."

High prices for wheat from exporting countries did not create a problem for importing countries, Mr. Williams contended. European countries, he suggested to Mr. Darby, established the tariffs, quotas, etc., to protect themselves from general financial collapse.

Mr. Darby said he could not agree. There was a market for Canadian grain but the buyers were not anxious to pay more for it than they found necessary. He quoted publications to show there existed a sentiment that Canadian wheat pools were acting to drive wheat prices up.

Mr. Williams quoted the 1933 international wheat agreement, which never became effective, to show that importing countries were ready to adopt policies fostering wheat consumption and to discourage any increase in wheat acreage. Improvement in the world price of wheat would have brought lowering of duties.

His reference to a "combination of producers in exporting countries," said Mr. Darby included the Canadian wheat pools. When Mr. Williams asked if there were any others that could be included, Mr. Darby said there were pool organizations in Australia.

The Winnipeg Grain Exchange had never considered its supervision necessary, Mr. Darby said. Its members had always considered the free and open market system best, Mr. Darby added when Mr. Williams asked if the grain exchange members opposed establishment of a wheat board in any form.

References were made to submissions of the grain exchange to the parliamentary committee investigating the last spring which led to appointment of Mr. Justice W. F. A. Turgeon, of Regina, to make the present inquiry.

A. E. Hoskin, K.C., and Isaac Pitblado K.C., counsel for the exchange, pointed out that the exchange realized gravity of wheat marketing conditions and some aid to producers might be advisable. They contended the sooner the return to free and open marketing methods the sooner difficulties would disappear. They pointed out grain exchange members had suggested a wheat board to dispose of government wheat holdings through the open market.

IRISH FREE STATE MAY END TRADE WAR WITH BRITAIN

London.—Possibility of a settlement of the "trade war" which has troubled commercial relations between Great Britain and the Irish Free State for the past five years was seen here after a lengthy conference between President Eamon de Valera and Dominions Secretary Malcolm MacDonald.

MacDonald left the Irish premier's hotel after conferring with him for more than three hours. It was understood an important statement would be issued following a second conference.

John W. Dunsany, Irish Free State high commissioner in London; Dennis Devlin, of the Free State external affairs ministry; and Sean Brennan, De Valera's assistant, were present during the discussion.

Informed quarters admitted a complete settlement of all outstanding Irish questions would prove extremely difficult. They said some decisive progress might be realized, however. The Anglo-Irish trade war originated after election of De Valera's fanna fall party in 1932, when the Irish president refused to continue the \$25,000,000 loan arranged with Great Britain by Irish farmers. His action was followed immediately by a retaliatory tariff law applied to Irish products by Great Britain, through which the \$25,000,000 was expected to be realized. Then the Free State increased its tariff on British products and brought trade between the two countries to a virtual standstill.

First indication that either London or Dublin was willing to relax its stand was seen at the beginning of last year when an agreement was reached for the export of Irish cattle in exchange for British coal.

Since then President De Valera has shown increasing signs of desiring a reconciliation with Britain.

Wheat Carryover Solved

Expect Surplus Will Be Wiped Out By End Of Next July

Ottawa.—The government will meet the session of parliament with one of the nation's problems, the wheat surplus, solved at least for the present. For several years the burden of great quantities of wheat stored in the Dominion ranked next to the problem of railway deficits and unemployment.

Figures now available show that wheat in store in Canada on Jan. 8 was 146,353,672 bushels less than on the corresponding date last year and as the carryover at the end of the crop year, July 31 last, was 108,747,059 bushels all the surplus would be wiped out before the end of next July were the sales to keep up to last year's average. They have run much higher than a year ago for the first half of the crop year.

With reports of European nations, including the United Kingdom, desiring to build up wheat supplies against the possibility of war, Canada's store of wheat is no longer a worry. The carryover reached the high of 211,740,188 bushels at the end of the crop year in 1933 and was still up to 203,273,016 in 1935.

Receives Souvenir Book

French Minister To Canada Helped Greatly With Vimy Pilgrimage

Ottawa.—Voicing appreciation for the services he rendered on behalf of France during the formative stages of last year's Vimy pilgrimage, Brigadier General Alex Ross, C.M.G., of Yorkton, Sask., Dominion president of the Canadian Legion, presented Hon. Raymond Brueger, French minister to Canada, with a pilgrim's badge and the souvenir book of the pilgrimage. General Ross thanked the minister for all his efforts in facilitating the progress of the pilgrims in France.

Resigns Seat

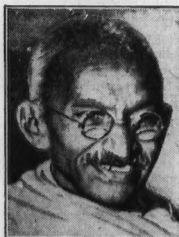
Member Of Quebec Legislature Tenders Resignation For No Stated Reason

Quebec.—Resignation of Dr. Raoul Poulin, a member of the Quebec legislature for Beauce county, was accepted by the government. Dr. Poulin tendered his resignation Nov. 15, giving no reason for the step.

Date for the by-election to fill the vacancy was not set.

Dr. Poulin's resignation leaves the house standing by parties as follows: Union Nationale, 75; Liberal, 14; vacant, 1. 2188

VICEROY OF INDIA HAS DELICATE PROBLEM TO HANDLE



On April 21 the new constitution of India becomes effective in the vast Indian Empire. It took Great Britain more than eight years to prepare a constitution which grants India self-rule with certain reservations, but Gandhi and his Nationalists are not satisfied with it in its present form. They do not wish to have reservations, but to be entirely self-ruling. Because of the acute religious differences in India, the British Government does not see how complete self-rule will work at present, and as a matter of fact only the presence of British police is a safety valve on a veritable volcano of religious strife. Above are pictures of Lord Linlithgow (right), Viceroy of India, and Mahatma Gandhi, the Nationalist leader. In the centre is a map of India which gives a graphic description of the problem faced by the Viceroy and the British Government. The area in white is British ruled, while the black area, with a population of 75,000,000 is under the ruling princes.



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TODAY'S THOUGHT

Anthony Trollope, just before he laid down his pen, never to take it up again, wrote these words: "Amusement is good, truth is better, and love best of all. Love gives itself, and is not bought; but all true love is founded on esteem."

WHAT WILL THE ANSWER BE ?

ONCE again we bring up a subject that has been made before in these columns, that of past-due subscriptions, and while it is a case of re-hashing, nevertheless, it is vital to our interests.

We are of the opinion and rightly so, that the Chronicle is a great help to this community, and that the district would be the poorer, if it had no weekly.

A neighbouring town some years ago, lost its paper through lack of support, and only one month ago, through the efforts of some of that town's leading businessmen, was a paper re-established, they found that the town was the loser through letting its weekly paper go. It was their best booster and advertiser.

To maintain a paper, bills have to be met monthly, or the publishing of the weekly must cease. Legal Tender is necessary to pay these bills. The money must come from the subscribers, and if they fail, how can the bills be met?

Our lists are assuming an alarming amount, and if we are to continue to pay our way and carry on in a proper manner, we require the support of subscribers in keeping paid up. To those who are more than one year in arrears, we ask that they pay now what they can, as every dollar helps. The amount is small and no doubt seems trivial, but take three to four hundred of these small accounts and they amount to a large sum in the aggregate.

We need your support, the district needs the Chronicle, why not let's get together now, and assist one another by true co-operation. If you will do your bit, we will do ours, won't you get paid up to-day, and make this our final appeal, a successful one.

The subject is not a nice one, as we realise that the past year was not very successful for many of our subscribers, but surely a small payment on account from every past due customer can be forthcoming. Yes, it can, thank you.

Now we must go and mutter into our lone grey hair, fast turning white with worry, with the hope that our call will be answered promptly, and permit us to have the worry hair pulled or at least dyed, which takes cash to do.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

AS one scans over the Village Financial Statement, it can be readily seen that its affairs are in good shape, and congratulations are in order to the Councillors who have made it so.

Compared with last year, the cash position is slightly less than that of 1935, but this is accounted for by heavier calls for Relief grants.

For the first time for many years, the Council was forced to borrow from the Bank, but this only for a very short period.

Public works called for a heavier outlay than was anticipated, but throughout the year it was shewn that careful consideration was given every expenditure before it was made, and expenses pared to the bone.

Granted a better year in 1937, the position of unpaid taxes should be much easier than that of 1936.

Rink expenditures this year were lighter than 1936, and next year will be still less, so a saving can be made in this direction.

The amount set out as expenditure for Fire Protection, covers the cost and installation of the new Fire Siren.

Police expenditures may seem rather high but to arrive at the net cost of this protection, it is necessary to subtract from the figures shown, the amount shown on the "Receipts" side opposite collection for night Watchman.

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P. D. Sez.

After a man finds out he can make a speech he starts on the slightest provocation.

TRAIN TIME AT CROSSFIELD

NORTHBOUND DAILY

521...leaves...1.37 a.m.
Note: 521 stops on flag only
Daily Except Sundays
523... " ...9.47 a.m.
525... " ...5.50 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND DAILY

522...leaves...5.30 a.m.
Daily Except Sundays
524... " ...12.23 noon
526... " ...5.33 p.m.

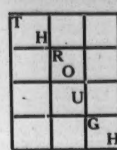
SUNDAYS ONLY

"The Chinook"
Southbound...528...2.23 p.m.
Northbound...527...6.15 p.m.

New C.P.R. Appointment

J. C. Patterson, who succeeds Sir George McLaren Brown, European general manager, Canadian Pacific Railway, London, England, with the title of European manager, was born at London, Ont., and educated at the Model School, Toronto; Ridley College, St. Catharines; and the Royal Military College, Kingston, and served overseas with the Canadian Field Artillery from June, 1916, to September, 1919. During 1935 Mr. Patterson was general agent in Toronto for the steamship department and has also held the positions of assistant general agent, New York; general agent, passenger department, Philadelphia; and general agent, steamship department, Chicago.

Occasional Notes



the Study Window

By Rev. A. D. Currie

TRANSFORMED LIGHT

Billowing masses of coal smoke and white steam came from some standing engines in the railway yard, and merged to form a grey cloud that hung over the tracks and station platform. Approaching from the west side, one saw this cloud against a gloriously radiant sun just risen for the day.

Then it was observed that the dull grey mass of smoke and steam was changed all along its outer edges, and wherever it momentarily thinned, into gold and red effects that were not less pleasing because fleeting. The sun, shining through the smoke, turned ugliness into beauty.

A parable with a double lesson was this early morning picture in the railway yard. It suggested that unlovely things may be, and often are, changed into good and pleasant things by the influence of a transforming light. So does truth shine through darkness, making men's lives new and clean.

Free! :- Free!

A six-tube Radio will be given FREE to the holder of the Lucky Ticket at the Carstairs East Community Hall Dance on Friday, January 22. CHICKEN LUNCH FREE!

Hopkins Orchestra :- Admission: 50c

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In the future, as in the past, Canadian policyholders and beneficiaries must always be the "Big Interests" of Life Insurance.

Life Insurance



The World of Wheat.

By H. G. L. Strange
Director "Crop Testing Plan."

Dr. William Saunders was a Horticulturist; his son, Dr. Percy Saunders, was a Professor of Chemistry. Another son, Dr. C. W. Saunders (now Sir Charles) was a Scientist, an instructor in music and voice culture, and a masterly player on the flute.

Out of the genius contained in these remarkable personalities came Marquis wheat, which during the past twenty five years, has been seeded probably on a larger acreage than any other Spring wheat variety known.

Dr. William conceived the need for an earlier variety than Red Fife. He imported breeding stocks from many parts of the World. Dr. Percy, in 1892, made the crosses of Red Fife and Hard Red Calcutta and Dr. Charles, in 1904, made the final selections which resulted in Marquis.

Dr. L. H. Newman, in 1912, selected for Dr. Seager Wheeler at Rothenburg, Sask., an improved Marquis head, which, multiplied under Seager Wheeler's skilful eyes and hands, became the famous 10 B strain from which springs probably 90 percent of all Registered Marquis.

Marquis once occupied about 90 percent of the wheat acreage of Western Canada. Today it still occupies a nearly 60 percent. It is still the "King of Wheats", and should be seeded in preference to any other variety wherever it gives satisfactory returns.



1937 Ford Deluxe Coach with heater...\$100.00 reduction
1936 Chev. Sport Coupe...\$775.00
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Education Concerning Wild Life Conservation Stressed At Conference

As conservers of game, Indian trappers rank high compared with their white competitors in the opinion of game experts who attended the provincial-Dominion wild life conference at Ottawa. Delegates paid tribute to the Indians and complained of the destructive habits of white men.

The matter came up in the course of a discussion on the possibility of working out some system of regulating trap lines, under which a trapper could establish a proprietary right to a certain area and keep other trappers off.

It turned out the Indians in certain districts had settled the problem in their own informal fashion. They had evolved a system under which certain areas were the recognized trapping preserves of certain families and invaders were dealt with in effective, if rough, fashion.

The conference was called by Hon. T. A. Crenar, minister of mines and resources, who, in addressing the opening session, said the \$805,000 paid out in relief for Indians last year was closely related to the depletion of fur bearing animals and the difficulties of making a living by trapping.

Numerous resolutions on a wide range of subjects relating to wild life conservation were passed. These will be submitted to Mr. Crenar for his consideration.

A plea was presented for predatory animals and birds on the ground they are necessary to maintain a natural balance, and when destroyed the animals and birds supposed to be protected suffer deterioration. This view was sharply challenged, particularly with respect to timber wolves and their effect on the deer population.

Need for better education of children concerning wild life conservation was stressed. An entirely new point of view with respect to wild animals and birds should, it was urged, be presented to children in the schools.

The number of wild duck in Canada was now placed at the lowest level in history and it was suggested absolutely closed seasons may be necessary to protect them.

The present situation was attributed to drought, settlement, over-shooting and ill-advised drainage of swamp lands which had deprived waterfowl of their natural haunts and made no proportionate contribution to agricultural production. It was expected creation of artificial reservoirs as a measure of drought-resistance and preservation of existing natural breeding places might to some extent repair the damage in this connection.

Building Should Be Active

Better Conditions Expected To Revive Industry In Canada

In 1928 the expenditure on all kinds of building in Canada was \$160,000,000. In 1929, the construction bill was \$278,000,000. It will be seen, from these figures that the country is lagging badly in the matter of revival in that industry. However, those who study the why and the wherefore of industrial operations are of the opinion that building is going to be very active in Canada shortly. They fear that the revival will come so suddenly that preparation for it will be poor and we will experience an undesirable boom, with materials scarce and high-priced.

One of the conditions that stimulate building activity is prosperity on the farms. The West is now selling its surplus wheat at the best prices for seven years. The products of eastern Canadian farms are more easily disposed of at higher figures. It would seem that prosperity is coming back to agriculture. When that happens, it is usually the case that there is activity in building.

There is an actual shortage of residences in the greater part of Canada.—Gait Reporter.

The Silver Jubilee express, Britain's fastest train, earns 12¢ profit for every mile she covers, according to figures published by the L.N.E.R. She costs 4¢ a mile to run, and earns, on the average 16¢ a mile.

Mrs. Black: "We really must get a new car John."

Mr. Black: "What—when we're still paying installments on the car I exchanged for the car I sold in part payment for the car we've got now?"

France governs 366 of every 1,000 square miles in Africa to-day. Great Britain is next with 348, Belgium with 81, Portugal 69, Italy 59, and Egypt 31.

An Age-Old Tradition

New Year Leves Were Once Very Formal Affairs

In Ottawa, as well as in each of the provincial capitals, the King's representatives hold levees on New Year's Day. Lord Tweedsmuir received in the Hall of Fame, Parliament Buildings, Ottawa, while the provincial lieutenant-governors for the most part held their functions at their various official residences.

Unlike the formal receptions which usually feature the opening of Parliament, or Legislative Assemblies, the New Year's Day levees are thoroughly democratic and they have their roots away back in the early history of Canada. Like many democratic institutions their origin lies in the French tradition.

The levee was an occasion in the days of the French regime in Canada, when the Governor, New France met the citizens, with all the trappings of class and caste shelved for the time being. In storied Quebec the Governor kept open house for aristocrats and plebeians alike, and, standing outside the old Chateau St. Louis, he greeted and shook hands with peers and paupers, with administrators, bishops, soldiers, trappers, voyageurs, farmers, shopkeepers and courtiers de bois.

When it snowed as, according to the late Rudyard Kipling, it occasionally does in Quebec, their Excellencies held their levees indoors. This age-old tradition has persisted in Canada, and on New Year's Day it was repeated again.

Although morning dress by "civilians" and uniforms by members of the armed forces are usually worn, this formal dress is far from being insisted on in Ottawa. Citizens in such suits receive from His Excellency the same cordial reception as those in more conventional attire.

Westminster Abbey Closed

Work For Coronation Started Early Because Skilled Labor Is Scarce

Westminster Abbey has been closed to the public and Dean Foxley Norris surrendered the keys to the governmental department known as the Office of Works.

Elaborate preparations for the coronation will be undertaken immediately. The Abbey's normal seating capacity of 2,500 will be increased for the coronation to 9,000. Tiny St. Faith's chapel alone will be available for private devotions.

The Abbey will be closed longer than prior to previous coronations owing to the impossibility of obtaining sufficient skilled labor in erecting galleries and scaffolding over the Abbey's delicate interior work. The Abbey vergers will receive full pay during the closure although naturally they will lose the gratuities received from sightseers.

The demand for seats along the route of the coronation procession indicates the event's popularity exceeds that of King George V's silver jubilee.

Also An Offense

Overturned Drivers Should Not Try To Operate A Car

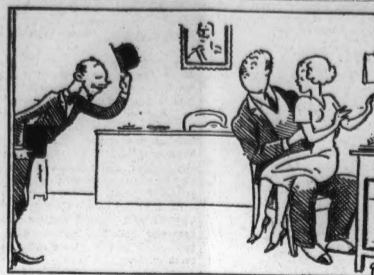
A Hamilton magistrate fined an automobile driver \$50 and costs for driving a car when overturned. Tired drivers have no more business driving an automobile than intoxicated ones in the opinion of the Hamilton magistrate, and he is right. Driving while intoxicated is not an offense because traffic laws are interested in the evils of intoxication, but because the motorist who drinks and drives is incapacitated and incapacitation from any other cause, fatigue for example, is also an offense.—Arthur Enterprise-News.

Tower Bridge is the most expensive of London's bridges. In the last financial year the outlay was £31,253, compared with £2,867 for Blackfriars, £2,639 for London, and £1,317 for Southwark.

The world's hottest spot is said to be a province named Ladakh in Kashmir, India. On a broiling day the temperature climbs to 160 degrees.

The outflow of fresh water from the Amazon river into the ocean is more than 1,000,000 cubic feet a second. This fresh water is found in the ocean more than 200 miles from shore.

North America contains 22,000 pure-blooded blons. 2186



"Good morning, sir. I should like, if I may, to demonstrate a machine that will enable you to dispense with typists."—Guerin Meschino, Milan.

Service Has Expanded

Year-End Survey Shows Canada Has 12,964 Post Offices

Canada's postal services have been substantially expanded and improved in the past 14 months, a year-end departmental survey shows.

In the 14 months, 223 new post offices have been established, distributed by provinces as follows: Nova Scotia, six; New Brunswick, 14; Quebec, 79; Ontario, 53; Manitoba, nine; Saskatchewan 29; Alberta, 17, and British Columbia, 16.

This brings the total number of post offices in Canada to 12,964, of which only 133 are operated by salaried postmasters, the rest working on a commission basis. The commission is 70 per cent. on the first \$1,000, 30 per cent. on \$10,000, and 20 per cent. from there up. Postmasters on commission pay their own assistants and provide quarters for the offices.

There is, however, a rental allowance, and where the mail is "worked" at night, also a forwarding allowance. In the case of several hundred of the smaller post offices, the postmasters' only remuneration is the \$100 minimum paid by the department, even where postage receipts do not amount to that.

In the country districts, 127 new rural delivery routes have been authorized in 14 months, of which 58 have actually been put into operation, serving about 4,000 boxes. The balance will go into operation as soon as the necessary boxes have been erected, nine routes being already scheduled for inauguration early in January.

Estate Being Kept Up

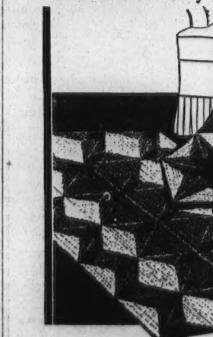
King George Will Decide Fate Of Fort Belvedere

Fort Belvedere, the Duke of Windsor's favorite residence as Prince of Wales and king, has been completely cleared of furniture and effects. It will remain empty, it is understood, until King George decides its future. Linen, plate and such things have been stored at Windsor castle until the duke requires them. The Belvedere estate is being kept up perfectly, and it is believed it will go to a member of the royal family or a personal friend of the new king.

Meanwhile, preparations are proceeding at Buckingham palace to provide a suite for the king and his family who are still resident at 145 Piccadilly. A moving date has not been fixed.

A family with an income of \$3,000 a year is Big Stuff in Japan.

Make Floors Gay with Rug Crochet



Brighten your floor—the foundation of your room's charm—with this quickly crocheted rug, then do a fetching pillow or afghan to match! By arranging the simple 7-inch triangle, basic design of these sparkling rugs, in various ways totally different designs result. You'll win a reputation as a clever homemaker if you crochet this set from rug yarn, rags or colorful candlewicking. Send to-day for the pattern! In pattern 5783 you will find complete instructions and charts for making the triangle shown and joining it to form various designs; an illustration of it and of the stitches used; material requirements; color suggestions.

To obtain this pattern send 50 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Post Office, 178 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

Enemies Of Health

Fatigue And Worry Given As Cause Of Arthritis By U.S. Medics

Fatigue and worry, old enemies of health, were classified at the convention of the American Academy of Orthopaedic surgeons at Cleveland as milestones on the road to arthritis. The academy's committee for the study of arthritis reported "evidence is accumulating" that fatigue and worry "produce a soil fertile for a crop of rheumatoid arthritic joints, and that infection most commonly makes its entry into such soil."

Chronic arthritis in which the exact cause is not known, the committee said, "presents one of the greatest medical problems and perhaps the very greatest social and economic problem."

Dr. Robert B. Osgood, of Boston, speaking for the committee, emphasized the joints themselves should not be forgotten in the treatment of the disease.

"General treatment and joint treatment should go hand in hand," he said "and the clasp must be a firm one."

"An attitude of pessimism is to be condemned in both types of chronic arthritis," Dr. Osgood said. "There is much that can be done to relieve these patients and to control or arrest their disease."

"It must be attacked early in its course and taken seriously by the patient and treated intelligently by his physician. These patients rarely die of their disease and they have a perfect right to be restored to life, liberty and pursuit of happiness."

May Have Chair

As heir-presumptive to the Throne, little Princess Elizabeth will be even more in the public limelight than she has been in the past. It is being wondered in many quarters whether she will be one of the central figures when her father and mother go as King and Queen to open in state the next session of Parliament. The Prince of Wales, as heir-apparent, always had a special chair in the House of Lords. Will the Princess occupy that chair?—Glasgow Bulletin.

Menagerie Man: "Madam, please keep your children away from the bear cage."

Woman: "You don't think my children would hurt the bear do you?"

Menagerie Man: "No, but this bear almost choked to death on a knife in the pocket of the last boy he ate."

Scientists of England say that women walk badly, using the wrong parts of their feet.

Some Of The Principles That Are Of Importance In The Art Of Healthy Living

Gaining In Popularity

Rapid Advancement Made In System Of Hog Rail Grading

Rail or carcass grading of hogs, which is purely voluntary on the part of producers, is rapidly gaining in popularity in Canada. Rail grading has been in operation in Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime provinces since 1925, and was introduced in the prairie provinces during the present year. The system has made rapid advancement; to date more than 30,000 hogs have been sold under it in the prairie provinces alone. During the first forty weeks of 1935 approximately 71,000 hogs were rail graded and during the corresponding period of 1936 over 240,000 hogs were consigned for sale under this method by farmers in the prairie provinces, Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime.

Live hog grading, which was introduced ten years ago, is now being supplemented by rail grading as the second step leading further towards the general production of a type and quality of hog which will produce bacon to compete successfully with foreign bacon in the British market, and at the same time stimulate consumption at home.

The market for hogs on a dressed-weight rail-graded basis, commonly called rail or carcass grading, is exactly what the words imply. When the farmer delivers his hogs, they are weighed with a number for identification after they are killed. The live hogs are first weighed so that a part down payment may be made, which usually runs about 75 per cent. of the butcher price. The hogs are then slaughtered and weighed individually to the exact pound. An inspector of the live stock branch of the Dominion department of agriculture then grades the hogs on the killing floor, and the final payment is made on the basis of that grade.

Latest Type Dairy Barn

Building Designed To Provide Hygienic Production Of Milk

G. Sherrin Haxton of Oakfield, is supervising construction of what he describes as the largest dairy barn in New York State.

Built of tile, the barn when completed in April will provide accommodations for 300 cows with a floor space of 28,900 square feet.

"I can't tell you how much it will cost," Haxton, a Rochester and Oakfield businessman, said.

The building is designed not only to make the life of "bossy" one of comparative luxury and ease, but to provide for the hygienic production of milk.

The cows will be made comfortable in all seasons through a system of forced ventilation and heating. The milk will be drawn from the cow by a vacuum system directly into a storage tank and from there through the pasteurizing unit into the bottles. No air or hands will touch the milk before it is bottled, Haxton said.

One Way To Check

Florida Winter Resorts Judge Business By Garbage Test

In the large winter resorts of Florida the garbage is bigger and better this winter. This, of course, can mean only one thing—the depression is over. In Florida the tourist agencies, hotels, and transportation companies pay no attention to government statistics, to the stock market, or the views of economists. They keep check on the visitors' garbage. They know down to the last grapefruit skin how much garbage is collected at Miami every day and they make their plans accordingly. If the garbage increases, they plan for a large season. If the garbage declines, as it did alarmingly a few years ago, they cut wages and reduce staffs. It all depends on garbage, the one indisputable economic thermometer.

You will be glad to know, therefore, that garbage is well up this year over last year and several cans above the 1929 low.—B.H., in Victoria Times.

Has Fine Quality Brain

Mayfair's phenologist had achieved fresh popularity when the Duke of Kent, youngest brother of the King, was photographed as he emerged from a phenologist's shop. The phenologist told the Duke he had a "very fine quality brain, and was very fastidious, sensitive and critical."

Soap, dropped into a geyser, causes it to erupt.

Unless progress is made in the prevention of mental illness, it can be predicted that four children out of every hundred born in Canada will, at some period of their lives be admitted to mental institutions as patients, writes Dr. C. M. Hincks, director of the Canadian National Committee for Mental Hygiene, in the current issue of "Health," organ of the Health League of Canada.

Fifty per cent. of mental disorders can be prevented, Dr. Hincks asserts, in his stimulating article, highlights of which follow:

"In the first place, what are some of the principles that are of importance in the art of healthy living?"

"One of our fundamental needs in this connection is work. It is interesting to note that the surest way of preventing mental deterioration among mental hospital patients is work or occupational therapy."

"Now work to be of full value must make a pull upon imagination and initiative. It should not be characterized by monotony and drudgery. It should give us the satisfaction of worthy endeavor and achievement. In other words it should be a morale builder—giving us healthy ego satisfaction."

"We are indeed fortunate if in our forties, fifties and sixties we still know how to play. It is a habit to which we should cling from our youth."

"Yes, recreation keeps us young, and, in supplying our need for recreation, avocations and hobbies may be priceless. We all can recall instances where an avocation has completely changed the life of an individual."

"We all need intimacies with whom we can share our joys and sorrows, our ambitions and successes, because the sharing of an experience with another multiplies its value ten fold. "Another aid to the art of living is the possession of a robust philosophy of life."

"Religion attempts to satisfy this human hunger and, for untold thousands, it furnishes anchorage and outlook that may be priceless."

"It is a strange fact, that while we are ready to study everything under the sun, we find ourselves reticent to examine ourselves—to examine our own lives."

"After we gain self knowledge our next step is the learning of self acceptance. This may be difficult if we find that our equipment appears to be meagre."

"But to believe that everyone possesses an asset or two that is superior to that of his neighbor. And, if I am correct in this, there should be little restlessness in taking the step of self-acceptance."

"The last hurdle is that of being ourselves. This constitutes the most significant element in the art of living. The individual who is spicing others—who is attempting to do things as other people do them—who is hesitant to strike out on lines of his own—such an individual is failing to contribute effectively to the world's work and is failing to get the satisfaction that comes from natural living."

"Now, a reference to childhood. We can go far in guarding the mental health of the child if we pay attention to such points as the following: his facilities in social contacts; his range of interest; his development in relation to the assumption of responsibility; his degree of self-confidence, of self-discipline, of happiness and of love of adventure."

Would Adopt New Ink

Berlin Authorities Want To Bleach Newspapers To Use Again

Efforts are being made by Berlin authorities to have the German printing trade adopt a new ink that can be bleached so that the paper of old periodicals and newspapers can be used again. For years chemists have been seeking a process by which present lamplamp inks could be removed from paper. Unsuccessful in these experiments, the chemists have compounded an ink that bleaches readily when treated with small quantities of sulphur dioxide. The new ink pigment is made from crude manganese dioxide and is known as "Manganachwarz." In government circles it is believed the ink will become popular eventually.

Mineral Development

Considerable progress was made in mineral development in Saskatchewan during the year just ended and even greater advancement is anticipated for 1937. At the close of 1936 approximately 1,900 claims in the Lake Athabasca area were recorded as being in good standing.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The Retail Merchants' Association, London, Ont., has opened a drive toward making Boxing Day (Dec. 26) a legal holiday throughout Canada.

Russia has set up a \$4,000,000,000 war budget, boosting her defence estimates for 1937 more than \$1,000,000,000 over last year's.

Twenty-one cities out of 27 which held civic nominations in British Columbia recently, elected their mayors by acclamation.

What was described as the first metropolitan daily newspaper published exclusively for children appeared from the presses of Nichi Nichi, one of Tokio's great journals.

The New York-Paris air race originally scheduled to start May 21 in commemoration of the first trans-Atlantic flight by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh has been postponed until August.

Nine spiders were ingeniously mounted between sheets of glass and made visible by white powder and a black background, form an interesting exhibit at the Natural History Museum, South Kensington, London.

Silicosis in the last 10 years has cost the Ontario workmen's compensation board \$200,000,000 and this year will likely cost \$60,000, Hon. Dr. J. A. Faulkner, Ontario health minister, told a labor delegation.

Professor Pelham Edgar, president, told the annual general meeting of the Association of Canadian Bookmen that membership had grown to 2,500. A year ago there were only two members, he said.

Sunken Treasure

Searching For Gold In Vessel Wrecked In 1780

In quest of millions in sunken gold, Simon Lake, 70-year-old submarine inventor, tricked half a dozen rusty coins through his fingers and brooded wryly on the "profits" of treasure-hunting.

"Nickels," he murmured, "nickels, and dimes and junk!" That's all he has to show, so far, on his three-year search for the wreck of the British frigate *Husar*, lying 12 fathoms deep in the swirling currents of New York's East river, where the ship sank in 1780.

In cold cash, Lake has retrieved \$3.87—disregarded by auction pumps delving in the muddy river bed for the bulk of the treasure ship. Lake is mystified about the coins. They're not old English coins from the *Husar's* treasure trove. They're just fairly modern American specie—the oldest being a 50-cent piece, dated 1914.

"The river bottom must be thick with them," he said, pointing out that the auction pump has operated only under a small sector.

Under the heading of junk, Lake displayed a segment of false enamel, a cheap watch, a pair of brass knuckles, a stickpin and a pearl-handled knife of dubious pearl.

For more than half a century Lake watched a dozen or more expeditions try to locate the *Husar's* golden cache.

"I'm pretty sure I've located the wreck," he said, "but it is buried under mud and tar and it may be weeks before we strike the hulk itself."

The *Husar*, a full-rigged 28-gun frigate, was wrecked while fleeing with money for the redcoat army after the American revolutionary forces had driven British troops out of New York city.

A Valuable Painting

Reported To Be Worth \$100,000, Will Be Returned To Vancouver From New York

An oil-painting by the famous Edoardo Murrillo, once available to Vancouver city museum for \$2,000 and now reported to be worth \$100,000, will be brought back to Vancouver from New York.

But the painting which hung for more than eight years in an obscure corner of the museum will not be loaned again to the city, Hugh Maxwell, its Vancouver owner, said. Instead, it will be placed in a bank vault for safekeeping.

First announcement that the picture was once available to the museum was made by T. P. O. Menzies, curator of the museum, who said he had strongly urged the board of directors to buy it, but the board did not buy. "Nobody in Vancouver would believe it was really a Murrillo," Menzies said.

In Turkey, the lower classes invest their savings in copper tiles, their standing in the community being measured by the number of such utensils they possess.

So many are willing to try anything to make a living except work.

U.S. National Defence

Plan To Begin Construction Of Two New Battleships

A record peacetime national defence fund of nearly \$1,000,000,000, including money to begin construction of two new battleships, was asked by President Roosevelt for the 1938 fiscal year.

Increased expenditures for air planes, ordnance equipment and expanded personnel for both the United States army and navy also were proposed.

The president recommended in his annual budget message to congress a total appropriation of \$860,763,000 for the naval and military establishments, an increase of \$2,880,000 over estimated outlay for the current fiscal period ending June 30.

The 1937 national defence estimates, aggregating \$887,881,000, constituted the previous peacetime high. Actual appropriations for that period, however, amounted to \$916,347,391.

To start work on the two battleships, the keels of which he ordered laid only a short time before transmitting increased to \$887,302,800 the original navy department estimate for 1938 of \$563,996,359.

The budget, besides providing sums necessary for carrying out the navy's regular building programme designed to expand the fleet to full allotted strength by 1943, proposed an outlay of \$40,000,000 for the bureau of aeronautics, a \$10,000,000 increase over 1936.

Of this sum \$28,000,000 would be used to purchase about 400 new air planes, compared with \$27,000,000 authorized for that purpose this year.

The president proposed that navy-mine pay be boosted from \$201,216,452 for 1937 to \$214,687,000, to care for additional recruits required by the commissioning of new ships, and that total army pay be raised from \$154,323,560 to \$182,349,100, to cover similar authorized enlargement of enlisted strength.

Silk For Coronation Robes

Will Be Largest Amount England Has Produced For 300 Years

Intended for the coronation robes of King George and other members of the royal family, 500,000 miles of silk thread is being reeled off from cocoons behind the old walls of Lullingstone Castle at Eynsford.

This is the first large amount to be produced in England since the days of King Charles II. nearly 300 years ago. It is the result of the latest hatch on the Lullingstone silk farm, with its 50,000 mulberry trees to feed silkworms, which is operated by Lady Hart Dyke.

The silk produced there is considered too valuable to be used in the making of the most expensive silk stockings. Queen Mary recently inspected the farm and expressed keen interest in the preparation for the coronation robes.

The Bank of England began active operation on January 1, 1935.

SLIMMING FROCK WINS ADMIRATION WHEREVER YOU WEAR IT!

By Anne Adams



4295

"Charming" is just the word for this lovely, slender-line frock. For whoever wears Pattern 4295, will appear slim, young, and pretty in its graceful flattery! What could equal the appeal of the deep V, filled in by a trim vest that is livened by three ray buttons! Then, too, you've fascinating choice of three different length sleeves! Anne Adams needn't tell you that the clever up-rising skirt-yoke, cut in one with the waist panel, is the latest thing in the fashion world, and this feature makes you look inches taller! Wherever you wear this frock, you're sure to be the centre of admiring glances, and no one will ever guess how easily you made it. Choose monotone crepe, synthetic silk and heavyorgette. Pattern 4295 is available in sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48. Size 36 takes 3 1/2 yards 39 inch fabric. Illustrated step-by-step sewing instructions included.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coin or stamps (coin preferred) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number, and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

Fritz Kreisler, when he was in Hollywood, was invited to dinner at the home of a prominent producer and was asked to bring along his fiddle. "Sorry," said Kreisler, "but my violin never dines."

Like elephants and many other standing.

Air Rifles Are Dangerous

Menace To Public Safety And Should Not Be Sold

A young man may lose the sight of an eye as the result of a boy's carelessness with an air rifle. Two lads in possession of air rifles in the neighborhood have been summoned to Police Court. But this is a case of locking the stable door after the horse is stolen. It will profit the victim nothing even though a conviction should be registered and the boy punished for his offense.

At the very same time that this incident took place, a resident in the east end had his bedroom window perforated in two places from the same cause.

Air rifles are a menace and their sale should be prohibited by law. It is contrary to law to sell dynamite to children because it is a highly dangerous explosive. The air rifle is not so likely to cause serious injury to the owner but is even more likely to cause damage to other people—Toronto Telegram.

Attracted Much Attention

North Carolina Village Advertised For Two Used Jail Cells

Calypso, a North Carolina hamlet, broke into the news recently by advertising in outside papers for "two used jail cells." At latest report nobody with "used jail cells" had answered the ad, but it attracted a lot of attention from curious folk who wanted to know why Calypso wanted "used jail cells." Until last summer, a Calypso correspondent explains, the town got by without a jail, sending its occasional offenders to the lock-up of a neighboring village. Then, it appears, some Calypso booster talked the community into seeking WPA aid for public improvement. The "improvement" took form of a brick building to be used as a jail and for other municipal services. When completed, it was found that no provision had been made for the "jail cells." Hence the advertisement for "used cells."

Serial Has No End

Has Been Running In Japanese Newspaper For 20 Years

In one Japanese newspaper they run a serial story that is a veritable Thousand and One Nights' Romance. Already it has passed its 7,300th instalment, and this story without apparent end is expected to last for many more months, although it has been running continuously for over twenty years.

Its author has been dead these many years, but that didn't damp the newspaper's enthusiasm for its lengthy tale—they called it the author's son, and each week the story continues as before. Fortunately this author also has a son!

The Stockton and Barlington railway, in England, was the first public railway in the world. It opened Sept. 27, 1825.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 24

TWO MIRACLES OF MERCY

Golden text: The very works that I do, bear witness of me, that the Father hath sent me, John 5:36. Lesson: John 5:1-6:71. Devotional Reading: Colossians 1:9-18.

Explanations and Comments

The Cure at the Pool of Bethesda, John 5:1-14. In Jerusalem in the sheep gate (the gate mentioned in Neh. 3:1; 12:39) there was a pool where the sheep destined for sacrifice were washed. Around the pool porches had been built for the protection of those who came there to bathe. There were small compartments, covered overhead, and open toward the pool. This pool was called in Hebrew Bethesda, which means "House of Mercy."

There the sick, the blind, the halt, the withered, collected, hoping to be cured, and among them was a man who had been afflicted for 38 years. His trouble seemingly was incurable. When Jesus saw him lying there he asked, "Wouldest thou be made whole?" Hisat thou wilt to be made whole? The man had been helpless so long that he had lost all hope, and Jesus first aroused his will to be cured.

"Arise, take up thy bed, and walk," Jesus bade. The bed was only a blanket, or mat, which could be easily rolled up and carried. Often it was only one's outer garment. Immediately the man was able to do as Jesus bade.

It was the Sabbath on which this cure took place, and the Jews told the man that it was not lawful for him to take up his bed. The man replied that who healed him, had bade him to do this but when asked whom had healed him he could not tell. Thereafter Jesus met this man in the temple and bade him sin no more, lest a worse thing befall him, the inference being that his affliction was due to sin.

The Feeding of Five Thousand on the Northwestern Shore of the Sea of Galilee, John 6:1-14. Jesus is the Source of Life—this is the thought at the closed John 6: Jesus is the Sustainer of life—this is the thought of John 6.

This feeding of the five thousand is recorded by all four Evangelists and has been studied so frequently in our course of lessons that no explanation nor comment will be needed.

Foreign Exchange Savings

Cost Of Settling Foreign Accounts Of Post Office Department Cut In Half

Cost of settling the foreign accounts of Canada's post office department has been practically cut in half this year through closer co-operation of the department with the Bank of Canada, it was learned.

Transactions in foreign exchange, which amounted to more than \$37,000,000 a year, have been one of the major problems of the financial branch during the last five years of vacillating exchange rates, with grey hairs resulting for more than one official.

The result of these savings to the man on the street, though he hears little about it from the department, is reduced cost on money orders to the United States, Britain and elsewhere, which, in the aggregate, reaches a million a year. Since orders are sold closer to the market rate now, where there might have been a five-cent exchange charge on sterling before there is one of about two cents; where the margin charged on United States orders was around two cents, it is now half a cent or one cent.

A New Industry

Laboratory Is Cultivating Ladybugs To Eat Other Bugs

A new kind of live stock raising—growing of ladybugs to eat other bugs—was announced before the Entomological Society of America in Atlantic City, N.J. The ladybugs are cultivated in the laboratory and sent out to farmers to eat up the bugs on their plants. Dr. Gordon W. Haugh of Ohio State University told the entomologists he feeds the ladybugs carefully throughout the winter on their favorite food, insects known as aphids, in order to have armies of them ready in the spring to start their campaign.

Leipzig Zoo Holds Record

The Leipzig zoo recently announced that a thousand lions had been born within its walls a record said to be without parallel in the history of zoological gardens of the world. The Leipzig zoo breeds wild animals for other zoos throughout the world.

Canada Imports most of her coffee from Brazil, British East Africa, Colombia, and Jamaica. Green coffee comprises most of the importations. Grinding, blending and roasting are handled by a Canadian industry.

Nerve threads to the number of 17,000 have been counted in the marrow of the human spine, and their diameters, some as small as .001 millimeter, measured. 2184

Relics Being Preserved

Canada's Flying History Is Being Shown In Museum Collection

Relics of the earliest developments in Canadian aviation are now being preserved, the whole story of Canada's unique part in the progress of flying being told in a collection in process of assembly at the newly established aeronautical museum housed in the building of the National Research Council in Ottawa.

Acquisition of the various exhibits has occupied Major General A. G. L. MacNacn, chairman of the National Research Council, for some time.

Most important is the engine of the "Silver Dart," which made the first successful flight in the British Empire. This plane was built by the late Dr. Alexander Graham Bell at Baddeck, N.S., and flown in February, 1909, by J. A. C. McCurdy. Associated with McCurdy was F. W. "Casey" Baldwin, pioneer aviator, yachtsman and member of the Nova Scotia legislature.

First flight by the "Silver Dart" was half a mile, on February 23, 1909. Next day, at 30 feet, 4 1/2 miles was covered over the Bras D'Or Lakes, while on March 10 all previous records were shattered when the "Silver Dart" flew 20 miles.

Five months later the machine was cracked up landing at Petawawa camp when Baldwin was demonstrating it to military authorities.

Other exhibits in the new national museum include the model propellers carved by Dr. Graham Bell while studying aerial methods of propulsion.

The war-time "crate" flown by the late Col. W. A. Barker, V.C., one of the Canadian aces of the Royal Flying Corps, is in the collection. The wings and fuselage are riddled with bullet holes, all of which have been carefully patched, but which are nevertheless noticeable.

Involved Work

English Sculptor Found Lion A Very Restless Model

It is likely that Sir William Field Dick was the sculptor and Sir Giles Gilbert Scott the architect, of the memorial statue of King George to be erected facing the House of Parliament.

Sir William, a cheerful Scot of 57, has the advantage that he made a portrait bust, commissioned by King George himself, only three years ago.

One of his best-known works is the gigantic stone lion on the Menin Gate memorial at Ypres. It involved far more work than any human portrait, for Sir William found when he looked for models in the Zoo that the lion is a particularly restless beast.

A year younger than Sir William, Sir Giles is a Scot, but he was only 22 when his design for Liverpool's £1,500,000 cathedral was accepted.

When the nave was finished he was passing through and a middle-aged woman spoke to him, not knowing that he was the architect.

She rhapsodized about the beauties of the building, ending with, "And to think that it could have originated in the puny brain of an insignificant man!"

Scott, duly put in his place, fled without a word.—London Daily Sketch.

Record Is Unusual

Lord Crewe Held Position Of Confidence Under Three Former Sovereigns

The graceful little speech in which Lord Crewe, in the House of Lords, incidentally referred to himself "as a man who has had the honor of serving three former sovereigns in a position of confidence" must have sent a good many people's memories searching into the past. The last Liberal Ministry of Queen Victoria's reign went out of office in 1885, so that we are carried back forty years at least. Actually Lord Crewe, who is 79, was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland under that administration. He had been Lord-in-Waiting to the Queen five years before that—fifty years ago.—London Spectator.

Coronation Bible

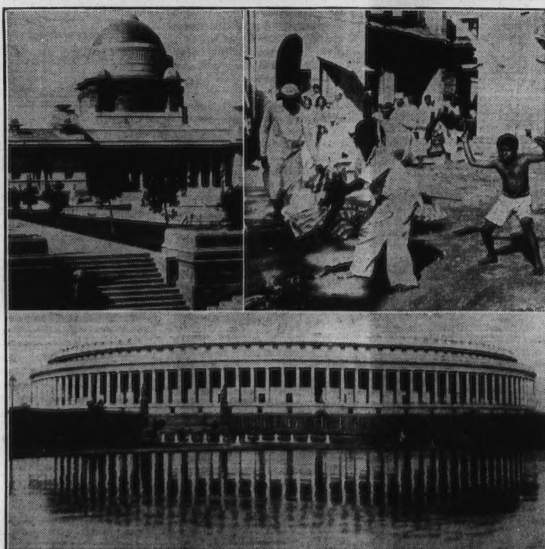
No Portrait Of The King And Queen Elizabeth Will Appear In This Issue

At the King's request, no portrait of himself and Queen Elizabeth will appear in coronation issues of the Bible.

It was understood His Majesty deemed it inappropriate that portraits of living personages should be reproduced in the Bible. Portraits of the sovereign in the Bible appeared during the three previous reigns.

In England Bible printing is a monopoly of the King's printer and the two great universities, Oxford and Cambridge.

INDIA PREPARES FOR COMMENCEMENT OF NEW SELF-GOVERNING STATUS



The new Indian constitution which has taken eight years for the British Government to prepare will take effect on April 1st, but not with the consent of all the Indian people. Gandhi and some of his followers are still demanding complete independence from Great Britain, and their political opinions range from progressive conservatism through passive resistance to communism. Long conferences are being held at the Capital in New Delhi between Lord Lullingthow and his advisers with a view to obtaining support from other Indian leaders of the moderate National Liberal Federation. At the top, left, is the dome of the Viceroy's Palace; below, is a picture of the House of Representatives; while at the top, right, are youthful Indian radicals looking shops in Bombay during one of the religious riots which Britain has been more or less successful in keeping in check.

Native Sons & Daughters

The Annual Round-Up of this Society will be held at the U. F. A. Hall, Crossfield, Friday, Feb. 12th.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Crossfield Chatter

The trail of an oldtimer's memories leads to the hearts of the west. Several cases of Scarlet Fever are reported in the district.

Owing to inclement weather, the proposed skating to music last Friday night was postponed.

Jack Munro and Mrs. McCoy, of Carstairs, were visitors in town this week.

Miss Margaret Reichenbecker returned from northern Alberta with the "Chinook" on Tuesday.

Carstairs bonspiel will be held January 25, 26 and 27. An invitation is extended to Crossfield to send as many rinks as possible.

James Lim, former employee of the Oliver Cafe and cousin of George Lim, directs your attention to his ad. in our other columns.

N S and D members are requested to note change of date for the Round-up. February 12th, instead of February 19.

Mrs. J. A. Emery, Miss Mildred Brown, Mrs. J. Belshaw and Mrs. L. Overby were weekend visitors at Calgary.

LaVerne Johnson left Wednesday morning for Didsbury where he will take charge of Miss Isobel Goldie's school, twelve miles east of that place.

Weather conditions are very cold, and most of the roads, other than the main arteries, are blocked with snow, and snow plows are being kept busy and in demand to keep them clear.

Activities of Societies Etc. OLD TIMERS

In order to be a successful citizen and old timer, you must first learn to Drink, Steal, Swear and Lie. Drink nothing but pure Buttermilk. Steal away from bad habits. Swear by the town and district you live in. Lie down at night and sleep soundly and peacefully.

Levi Cub.

BESOM & STANE

One rink from Crossfield is entered in the Calgary Spiel. The rink comprises C. Becker, G. Purvis, W. J. Wood and Ed. Fox.

Weather has been ideal for curling and the ladies took advantage of this fact, and are at present running a novelty mixed play. From the games played to date, many upsets have taken place. No rink seems to be any stronger than its neighbour, but when on the ice, well, it's a slippery game after all, and causes lots of fun.

Rev. E. Longmire is attending the Calgaryspiel and playing in a special Ministerial Rink, comprising Rev. Howey, Rev. Young, Rev. Longmire and Rev. Davidge.

BOARD OF TRADE

The date of the annual meeting is being arranged for about the second week in February. It is hoped that full attendance will be on hand to discuss the many problems of interest which will come before the meeting, as well as to elect officers and committees for 1936.

Members having any ideas worthy of the Board's undertaking, are invited to bring these matters up for discussion.

Watch these columns for further particulars.

Invisible Friend.

I called her name in the silence—from the depths of a lonely grief. . . . She did not speak—but a bird sang out—And my heart knew a strange relief.

I sought her face in the forest—where we walked in the days gone by. . . . She hid from me—but I saw a birch—Green and Silver, against the sky.

She comes like this, in the beauty of a song, a flower or a tree. . . . And who am I—to attempt to solve—a great a mystery? Patience Strong.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE VILLAGE OF CROSSFIELD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1936.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS	
Balances as at Dec. 31, 1935		Outstanding Cheques, Dec. 31, 1935	\$ 17.30
In Bank	\$1097.44	Administration:	
Cash on hand	140.02	Salaries: Sec.-Treas.	276.00
Social Service Tax Trust Acct.	12.87	Audit Fees	20.00
Cash on hand	1.02	Bond Premium	5.25
School Tax Trust Account	101.80	Insurance	69.70
Cash on hand	9.56	Postage, Printing and Stationery	116.10
Municipal Taxes and costs	3149.00	Land Title Office Fees	52.00
Electric light and power taxes	47.50	Sundry	
Business Taxes	96.10	Protection of Persons, Etc.	274.19
Aid and Relief	314.64	Fire Protection	568.80
Collections re Night Watchman	161.00	Police Department	129.70
Licenses	65.05	Grants, Aid and Relief:	
Rentals	3.00	Mother's Allowance	98.78
Land Title Fees	5.25	Old Age Pensions	223.40
Dog Taxes	25.00	Sanitation	612.95
Cemetery Fees	91.50	Aid and Relief	18.00
Rinks, etc.	37.95	Grants	
Commissions—Soc. Service and School	13.94	Public Works:	
Sale of lots	111.75	Streets	705.04
Loans, Municipal	300.00	Sidewalks	414.02
Lumber Sold	5.50	Street Lighting	580.10
Road Work Recovery	18.60	Hall	123.12
Trust Monies Received:		Park	20.50
Social Service Tax	138.71	Rinks	185.64
School Arrears	502.47	Cemetery	73.15
Outstanding Cheques or Overdraft, December 31, 1936	12.00	Workmen's Compensation Bd.	17.80
Municipal	69.42	Debitures:	
Schools Trust		Principal—\$200.00 Int.	\$36.00
		Loans:	
Total	\$7221.89	Mun. Principal \$300 Int.	\$302.61
		Refund Overpaid Taxes	13.20
		Trust Monies Remitted:	
		Social Services	138.72
		School Arrears	703.87
		Balances Dec. 31st, 1936:	
		In Bank	\$1133.73
		Cash on hand	1.41
		Social Services	13.58
		School Tax Trust Account	78.24
		Total	\$7221.89

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Balances December 31, 1936 (Municipal Only)		Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31, 1936 (Municipal)	12.00
Bank Balance Dec. 31, 1936	1133.73	Accounts Payable	357.07
Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1936 (Municipal)	1.41	Debitures Not Remitted	400.00
Uncollected Municipal Taxes—Stationery, etc.	2549.62	Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31, 1936 (Schools)	69.42
Commissions Receivable	30.00	Schools Acct. Over Credit	8.82
S.S. \$5.00, School \$3.82	13.82	Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31, '36	
Fixed Assets:		Soc. Service Taxes	118.93
Land and Buildings for Village Purposes	3000.00	Collections Not Remitted	13.58
Fire Hall Equipment	1500.00	School Arrears	3861.06
Trust Balances Dec. 31, 1936		Collections Not Remitted	Nil
Social Service Tax Account—In Bank	13.58	Balances Assets over Liabilities (Surplus)	\$7459.51
School Arrears in bank	78.24		
Uncollected Trust Taxes:			
Soc. Service Tax	118.93		
School Arrears	3861.06		
Total	\$12300.39		

TAX STATEMENT		Muni- cipal		SCHOOL	
Estimated Valuation set by Alta. Ass't Commission \$52,000		Service	Ar. r's. R't. Current		
Assessed Value for each Tax, Dollars only	\$308,006	55.850	3		
Rate of Taxation (mills on the Dollar)	20 & 18				
Current Taxes Levied (except School)	4140.94	167.50			
Uncollected Dec. 31, '35, Inc. Costa (or arr. rpd.)	1888.14	82.65	4208.38		
Penalties and Costs added in 1936	173.55	7.52	135.15		
Taxes	Power \$6500	47.50			
TOTAL DUE	\$6230.13	257.67	4943.53		
Collections in 1936, including Costs	3293.50	138.71	482.47	\$20.00	
Cancellations Authorized in 1936	61.44	03			
Discounts on Taxes in 1936	325.87				
Uncollected Taxes December 31, 1936	2549.62	118.93	3861.06		
Trust Taxes Collected but not paid at Dec. 31, '35	13.59	241.36			
Collected in 1936 (as above)	138.71	502.47			
Trust Taxes Remitted in Excess of Collection Dec 31, '35		.04			
TOTAL DUE (accounted for below)	162.30	703.87			
Paid in 1936 to Prov. Gov't School and Hospital Board	138.72	703.87			
Collections (or due on Requisitions) by Village but not paid Dec. 31, 1936	13.58	Nil			

POPULATION AND PARTICULARS OF ASSESSMENT		Gross		Less		Net		Estimated	
		Ass't	Statutory	Ass't	Statutory	Ass't	Statutory	Ass't	Statutory
Assessed Valuation—Land only	60670	4820	55850	No. Taxble	Parcels	265			
Build'g and Imp't at 60% p.c. of value	139887		139887	No. Parcels	Exempt	38			
Business Assessment	9419		9419	Total	Parcels	303			
Electric Light and Power Assessment	4500		4500						
Total	\$219476	\$4820	\$214656	Firm Ins'n on C'd		\$2050			

DEBENTURE STATEMENT		Amount		Purpose		Term of Yrs.		Amount Pay.		Amount Paid		Total Amounts		Balance of Issue of Issue From		To be Annually		in 1936		Redeemed		Outstanding to Date		Dec. 31, '36	
\$3,000	SW	23	38	\$200	\$200	\$200	\$200	\$2,600	\$400																

AUDITOR'S REPORT

The School account has an over-credit of \$8.52. This should be transferred to General account. Represents commissions due on collections. The expenditures on Rinks, Sidewalks and Streets should be confirmed at next Council meeting.

Books are in good shape and properly entered.

I hereby certify to the correctness of this Statement,
Dated at Crossfield, Alta., this 12th day of January, 1937,

Signed: G. Y. McLean, Auditor
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Church Notices

United Church Services
Sunday, January 24th
Madden - Sunday School - 11:15 a.m.
Madden - Public Worship - 11:45 a.m.
Inverlea - Public Worship - 3:00 p.m.
Cossfield - Sunday School - 11:15 a.m.
Cossfield - Public Worship - 7:30 p.m.
A hearty welcome to all
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Church of the Ascension (ANGLICAN)
January 24, 7:30 p.m. Evensong
January 31, 7:30 p.m. Matins
A. D. CURRIE, Rector.

Crossfield Baptist Church
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12:00 noon Sunday School
8:00 p.m. Evening Service
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